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A DEVASTATING FLOOD.

A Massachusetts Village Overwhelmed by the Breaking Away of a Dam.

PITTSFIELD, Mass., April 20.—At 6 o'clock this morning the village of East Lee is inundated and devastated by the breaking away of a dam at Mud Pond reservoir, a mountain lake about two miles and a half from the village. The pond covered many acres of swamp, and was increased from its original size by extensive dams built by a club of manufacturers as a storage place for water. East Lee village, where half a dozen paper mills are situated on the stream, received its first news of the accident when the flood came pouring down the streets, the water being from four to six feet deep, and bringing with it trees, portions of houses, barns, fences, wagons and every form of movable property. People fled to the slopes of the valley to escape the pouring flood, and saw houses moved and toppled about like chips in a river. The flood passed East Lee and went down the road, destroying gardens, lawns and fences and moving the smaller buildings. It had not the power, however, to utterly wreck larger houses, though damages will amount to many thousand dollars. As soon as possible people went up the line of the flood toward the pond and found the river worse as they approached the starting point of the torrent. Fortunately the track of the flood was in a sparsely inhabited country, but what destruction there was for it to do in wrecking three or four houses along its way was thoroughly accomplished. Much stock besides property was lost.

Explorers have already found the bodies of eleven persons and are searching for others. The scene is one of terrible desolation. The bodies recovered and identified thus far are as follows: Mr. White, wife and two young daughters, Mr. King and wife and Mr. King's son and wife. Eleven bodies so far have been found and three persons who were living in the track of the flood are missing. White's carriage shops are destroyed. Harrison Garfield's paper mill is undermined. Declar & Gilmore's paper mill is badly damaged. John McLaughlin's machine shops are totally wrecked.

An Old Adage Improved.

(New York Times.)

"Ah, me!" said a husband, as he laid down his book and gazed thoughtfully into the fire, "how true it is that 'Tis better to have loved and lost than—than—"

"Never to have loved at all!" supplied his wife, softly.

"No; than to have loved and won."

What Makes a Frenchman Smile.

(Paris News.)

They are going down to dinner.

He—May I sit on your right hand?

She—Oh, I think you had better take a chair.

He did.

Compelled to Yield.

Mrs. Salter, of Franktown, Ontario was for four years afflicted with a fever sore that baffled all treatment, until she tried Burdock Blood Bitters. 4 bottles cured her. All chronic sores and humors of the blood must yield to B B.B.

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The Ruin of Richard Belt.

The trial of the brothers Belt, for obtaining money from Sir William Abdy by false pretenses, was brought to a conclusion yesterday. Walter Belt, the photographer, was acquitted, but his more celebrated brother, Richard Belt, was found guilty, and was sentenced to twelve month's imprisonment with hard labor. It is a severe sentence, carrying with it, as it does, social and professional death; and it is only to be explained on the supposition that Justice Stephen believed the prisoner to have been guilty of a long course of fraudulent practices. The facts of the case were simple. Belt, as the public learned in the famous trial a few years ago, was a sculptor high in the favor of the fashionable world, and especially smilled upon by the Corporation of London, though much less kindly regarded by his brother artists, academicians and others. Some three or four years ago he became acquainted with Sir William Abdy, a gentleman who, as subsequent events proved, was of the clay that the unscrupulous most admire in their wealthy friends. Soon after the acquaintance began, Belt appears to have rendered Sir William Abdy some services of the nature that is called "delicate," and of which the details still remain obscure. But the upshot of this business was that Sir William Abdy advanced to Belt a loan of £2,000, without either security or interest—a fact which, as the judge remarked, showed that Belt possessed considerable influence over Sir William Abdy. At the same time Belt induced Sir William to change his lawyer, and to put himself into the hands of a friend of his, a Mr. Morgan of Stafford, who played a considerable part in the later development of the story. Soon afterward there began the matter which was the cause of all these tears. Sir William Abdy had a taste for diamonds; and it occurred to Belt that he might be able to gratify it. There was no question of going to a jeweler; such people, said Belt, charge enormous profits, and he himself happened to know some remarkable stones which could be got for a price far below their value. These belonged, according to his story, to a Mrs. Morphy, a lady who had been a mistress of the Sultan, and who had received them from her imperial lover. In the end, Sir William Abdy agreed to buy jewelry to the amount of no less than £14,263, most of it on the understanding that it had come from this shadowy Mrs. Morphy. Unfortunately, it was proved in the trial to have come from a much more prosaic source. Mr. Smith, a pawnbroker in the Brompton Road, had sold some of it to Walter Belt for £1,975, and this was immediately resold to Sir William Abdy for £3,500. Another item was a diamond bracelet, bought under remarkable circumstances from Mrs. Bonsor for £500, and charged to Sir William—though he knew whence it came—at £1,000. The same price was charged for a pair of studs, though they had cost £200, and a picture"—not, we may suppose, a very valuable picture. The jewelry, however, was not all paid for out and out. Most of it remained in Belt's possession, while Sir William paid him interest at 6 per cent on the supposed purchase money. Then came the dramatic denouement; a photograph of an actress wearing jewels; Lady Abdy jealous, believed those jewels to have been given to the actress by Sir William; explanations demanded; the jewels taken to Messrs. Lewis & Lewis: a valuer called in; Belt's enormous profits exposed; a quarrel between the "two friends;" a civil action; and the criminal trial which has just ended so disastrously. The story is not an agreeable one, but it throws a curious light upon certain phases of our modern life. As regards Richard Belt, it is impossible to regard his decline and fall without a certain—we will not say sympathy, but—pitying regret. The result of the present trial will, of course, confirm the view of those who have always maintained that his whole art was a fraud. On that thorny point we will not venture to give an opinion. At all events, he was a man who somehow or other managed to give a great deal of pleasure to a number of more or less fastidious people. His gifts were quite considerable enough to have carried him far, had nature but endowed him at his birth with some scraps and shreds of principle.—London Times, March 16.

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The Grandest Sight on the Plains.

I had camped near the forks of the Platte, and was aroused just at daylight by footsteps around me. After listening for a moment I felt sure that they were the footsteps of horses. They seemed to be circling around me—not at a canter—not at a trot, but at a moderate walk.

It was well that I had secured my horse in a thorough manner, for I never saw him so excited. He tugged and pulled at his lariat, stood up on his hind legs, neighed and snorted, pawed and pranced, and it was his actions that gave me a clue to the identity of my visitors.

They were wild horses!

Had they been Indian ponies my trained horse would have remained as dumb and silent as a post. Indeed, Indians would not have approached me in that manner.

I remained very quiet, hoping the horses would remain in sight until daylight should give me a good view of them. I had to wait for a full hour, but when the light grew strong the spectacle was one to make a man's blood tingle.

The circle had been enlarged until it was half a mile across, and my little camp was the center. Every horse, and there were 129 of them, stood with his head to this center, and soldiers could not have taken positions on the skirmish line in more precise order.

I pitied my own animal. He stood with the lariat drawn taut and trembled in every limb, and he was as wet with sweat as if I had galloped him twenty miles. I realized how he must long to break away and join the wild rovers and forever end his drudgery.

I dared not rise to my feet for fear of alarming the drove, but, nevertheless, I had a clear view of each horse. Most of them were magnificent animals. Manes down on their shoulders and tails on the grass. They were of various colors, and they ranged in age from the yearling colt up to the veterans probably 20 years old. The bays predominated, but every color was present.

We had been observing each other about ten minutes, when a jet-black stallion, who was the leader of the herd, gave a snort, threw up his heels into the air and broke off at a gallop, followed by the drove in single file. They ran in a true circle, and they made the circuit five times before stopping. Then, at another signal from the leader, the circle broke and the horses wheeled into a long, single line, or "company front."

Troop horses could not have done better. I thought at first the line meant to charge me, but at a signal it made a left wheel and galloped straight off on the plain for a mile. Then it broke, assumed the shape of a triangle and returned.

When the leader was within pistol-shot he wheeled out and the horses formed in a square, with the four yearlings in the center. They galloped off for a mile or so, broke again and returned in two ranks.

I had an almost irresistible desire to kill the leader with a bullet. Indeed, I reached for my rifle with that intent, but then came the reflection that it would be little short of murder. Such another perfect horse I had never seen. His black coat shone like silk, his limbs and body were perfection, and he had the speed and bottom of a racehorse.

Not a halt was made for a full hour, and it was only preparatory to taking a swift departure. The last maneuver was a circle at a slow trot, and each horse whinnied in a coaxing manner to my own steed.

Poor Selim! He struggled in the most frantic manner to break loose, and when finding all his efforts of no avail he threw himself down on the grass and actually groaned his disappointment.

I rose up then and waved my blanket. Instead of rushing off in affright, as I had expected, the leader of the band deliberately approached me a few rods and stood and snorted and pawed as if sending forth a challenge.

Then I set up a shouting, waved the blanket some more, and he took his place at the head, formed the band at "company front," and they went off at a gallop and maintained it as long as I could see the waving line.—[Detroit Free Press.

Trashy Literature and Buns.

I came up town the other day in the same car with a queer small boy who had a cast in his eye, a patch on his knee, and a capacious mouth.

He was engaged in dining. The meal consisted of buns. The buns were large, besprinkled with currants, and not at all inviting to any one save the little fellow. He extracted them, however, with a voracious rapidity from a paper bag, and read some trashy story paper the while.

It was a matter of interest and amazement to watch so puny a creature consume so much. Like "the camomile tea yun," who excited the wonder of Tony Weller, the queer little boy "swelled visibly afore my eyes."

He finished six buns calmly, rolled his cock-eye through the paper bag to discover stray crumbs, and relaxed into delight over the adventures of the hero he was reading about.

His imperturbable demeanor, his appetite, and his digestion, were alike enviable and astounding. Do such excellent matters go with early youth, or are they the especial attributes of boys who read light literature and have cock eyes?

He ate his dinner with a relish and heartiness that neither Delmonico nor Riccadonna can give me. What one of us grown men, who would despise that queer youngster, could eat dinner with him and live to tell the tale?

Manhood and fine position are estimable things; but if my little squinting companion grows into wealth and fame, he will never enjoy a menu so much as he did those six dreadful buns.—[Dramatic Times, N. Y.

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THE EXTRADITION TREATY.

There is now no doubt that the highest executive of the United States—the president—has again refused to sign the order for the extradition of the man known as Bulldog Kelly who was held at St. Paul, Minn., at the request of the authorities of this province under a charge of wilful murder of an American named Baird in Kootenay, B.C. Kelly is once more a free man, although the terms of the treaty stipulate that in any event the demanding authorities, after the request has been made known to them, will have a stated time wherein to produce further evidence, and that pending this the prisoner shall remain in custody. The Ottawa authorities have not been so notified; but Kelly is free. After ten months of persistent effort to procure the extradition of this man, who has been twice remanded for surrender and yet is now at large, the local government recognizing that all farther attempts would be hopeless will, it is believed, relinquish the pursuit. The evidence produced in the case is such as to warrant the man Kelly in being looked on as something more than the probable murderer of the American trader. From the very first every possible obstruction has been placed in the way of the endeavors of the province to secure the person of the man whose guilt has been practically proved; but money and political influence have been too potent, and Kelly is now treading the firm soil and breathing the pure air of a country where all are free,—free to make justice a travesty, to treat murder as a joke, and to turn a criminal trial and sentence into a mockery—if they do but possess the subtle key to the necessary mechanism. It is needless at this present time to dwell upon the very different spirit that has been displayed by British Columbia towards its powerful neighbor in delivering up to it its refugee criminals; nor to comment upon the inconsistency of the letter in suggesting reciprocity with Canada in the extradition of embezzlers and defaulters when it refuses to yield up one against whom exists damning proof of the guilt of murder. Words, however, uttered by Justice Gray to a criminal now awaiting execution are sufficiently appreciable to be repeated. He said: "I wish it to be understood that while every American citizen who may come into this country will be as welcome as you yourself were, we desire to impress upon them that when they come here they cannot bring with them that looseness and laxity of administration which obtains in their own country—to impress upon them that the divine as well as the human law is observed here—that 'he who takes human life of him shall his life be required.'" And in spite of the unsympathetic manner in which our efforts to maintain our laws has been met, the principle of British justice will still be promulgated and observed where the sway of our country is held; and if in the course of the vindication of those laws the conduct of this province differs from that of the United States the fault of the contrast will be that of the latter. A British country will never shield a criminal from his just deserts; and the States, if it refuses to give ours up to us, may keep them, and shall in addition have those of her own who may flee to this side, by giving sufficient guarantee that the necessary expenses will be reimbursed. Kelly may be legally free, but he goes forth with a red stain upon his conscience, if he has any, and with a liberty that is conditional upon his never placing his foot upon British soil. Until then his crime rests between himself and his Maker. As it is the United States is responsible, through the modern reformer of its constitution, for prostituting its freedom by wrapping its flag around the body of a *prima facie* murderer. The attitude of the States in this case by tacitly offering immunity to criminals involves the lives of our people, and it is in order for our Dominion members of the commons to ask the house by resolution to represent to congress the necessity of making the extradition treaty between Canada and the United States something else than a dead letter so far as the last named country is concerned.

CANADA.

The Floods in Montreal.

The C. P. Railway Blocked.

MONTREAL, April 20.—The ice has begun to break up and already there is a wide channel through which the water is rushing. The shore ice, however, remains solid. The waser has fallen 5 or 6 feet since noon, and is still subsiding rapidly. The prospects are not hopeless, as at Lake St. Peter the ice is breaking up and a general shove is expected in a day or two. Many of the inundated streets are now dry and the storekeepers are busily engaged in putting things to rights. Business will probably be recommenced to-morrow. In the low lying streets there is still from two to three feet of water. To-day's trains on the Grand Trunk Railway were able to come in as far as Chatham street. It is expected that by to-morrow night they may reach the depot. On the south side of the river, owing to the fact that the ice has not shoved over the banks the loss will be comparatively light. Church edifices in the flooded districts have suffered severely; among them St. Ann's and St. Gabriel's, Roman Catholic; Grace and St. Stephens, Episcopal; St. Mark, St. Matthew's and the Inspector street Presbyterian and the Point St. Charles and Ottawa street Methodist church.

It is reported this evening that two men have been drowned on Chabboillez' square.

Following is a fair estimate of the damages done: Wholesale dry goods $250,000; retail dry goods, $95,000; wholesale groceries, $220,000; retail groceries $100,000.

OTTAWA, April 20.—The Canadian Pacific railway is impeded by floods in the neighborhood of Lake Nipissing. Since Friday no trains have reached here from Winnipeg.

Pictures and Picture Frames.

Just received, an immense stock of fine ornamental and other kinds of Mouldings, Works of Art and all kinds of Pictures which will be sold at Bedrock prices, wholesale and retail. Up-country orders punctually filled. JOS. SOMERS,
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EXCLUSIVE DISPATCHES TO THE COLONIST.

AMERICAN NEWS.

The Inhuman Murder of a Defenseless Child.

Beaten, Starved and Neglected till Death.

Collapse of the Famous "Libby Prison."

Proposed American Cruisers for the Pacific Coast.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 21.—The safe in the office of the Puget Sound Lumber company in Alameda was broken open last night by burglars and $100 stolen.

Judge Nathaniel Bennett, a well known jurist, died in this city last night of dropsy. His wife died a few months ago. He leaves no children.

The Union Iron Works has prepared and forwarded to Washington plans and proposals for the construction of five naval cruisers. The proposals forwarded provide for two cruisers of 5000 displacement, one of 3000, one of 1200, and one of 7800 tons.

STOCKTON, April 41.—A complaint was made to-day charging Chief of Police Rogers and Policeman Sherry with inhumanity. The prisoner is a young man who was sentenced to the chain gang for battery and refused to work. He was tied in his cell five hours yesterday and two hours to-day with his head below the level of his heart. The gaoler telphoned for medical aid, and the prisoner was found to be helpless and his whole frame in a spasmodic condition.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 21.—Commencing May 1st schedules of Pacific Coast Steamship company on the northern route will be changed as follows: On the Victoria route the Mexico will take the Elder's place, and in connection with the Queen of the Pacific will make weekly trips, leaving here every Friday as at present.

GREENVILLE, April 21.—A row occured last night between Rev. J. W. Hendleton and the editor of the Bulletin over an article which appeared in the paper concerning a horse jockey in the pulpit. The minister applied the article to himself and attacked the editor. A rough and tumble fight ensued till the friends parted them. Aside from hair pulling and scratching no damage was done.

EASTERN STATES.

DENVER, April 21.—The Republican's Trinidad special says: A steady rainfall the last few days so increased the volume of water in Purgatoire river that at three this morning it broke through the banks, flooding the lower portion of the town, destroying many dwellings, the occupants having barely time to reach a place of safety in their night clothes. One Mexican was drowned. The water works are flooded and the city water supply cut off. Loss to property, $18,000.

CHICAGO, April 21.—The Union Pacific and Burlington and Missouri roads to-day gave notice of another advance in transcontinental passenger rates, to take effect to-morrow. The advance is equivalent to an advance of $5 to net rates, both first and second class.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 21.—Indictments against twelve parties who attended the Warren-Barnes prize fight from Louisville were gotten out in Henry county to-day. The names of some of the most prominent young men of the city are in the published list. The Louisville and Nashville railway agents were indicted for furnishing the train which carried the crowd.

NEW YORK, April 21.—At midnight six thousand employes of the sugar refineries of the eastern district of Brooklyn struck because of non-compliance with demands for an advance in wages made yesterday. It is estimated that the loss to one firm alone of sugar now ready for shipment is between $60,000 and $100,000. It is believed 4500 of the strikers are controlled by Havemeyer & Elders.

ALBANY, N. Y., April 21.—A bill to wind up the Broadway Surface railway corporation was passed 97.

SCRANTON, Pa., April 21.—The trial of John McAndrews and his wife on a charge of murder in having caused the death of a 13 year old girl named Mary Gaughen, who had been entrusted to them some time ago, is progressing here. Frank Gaughen, the girl's brother, 11 years of age, testified she was sent long distances in her bare feet in frosty weather, was made to sleep on the open floor on a bed made of meal bags, with no covering, and subsisted entirely on mush. At no time since last fall was she permitted to wear shoes or stockings. On Saturday evening before she died, McAndrews heated a poker until it was red and rubbed it on her teeth, saying if her ghost returned to this world he would be able to identify it. Frank last saw his sister on the morning of her death. She was lying on the floor with nothing over her. She asked him to lift her head on the pillow and to place the family dog on her feet to keep them warm. The children of the house maltreated her, and one day put a bit in her mouth and chased her around the house. McAndrews said they might kill her for all he cared. The Sunday before she died McAndrews remove Mary's clothing and put her in a tub of water and then beat her with a horsewhip. This terrible story was corroborated by the neighbors and Coroner Dean, who examined the body of the child immediately after her death, testified that she died of starvation and neglect.

HARRISBURG, Pa., April 21.—Developments to-day indicate that three of the banks of this city have lost $10,000 through forged notes presented by Miss Priscilla B. McClure, of this city, who has always figured in the best of society. The names used as endorsers were her mother, Margaret McClure, and her brother, Wm. McClure, of this city, and her cousin, Sherman Furth, of Bellefontaine, all of whom are of the best society. They deny the endorsement. There is believed to be a man interested in the case.

RICHMOND, Va., April 21.—One of the three tenements composing the building known as "Libby Prison," used during the late war for keeping confederate prisoners, collapsed this morning from overburdened floors. The building is occupied by the Southern Fertilizing company, and the collapsed tenement was used for the storage of fertilizers. Damage to stock and building is likely to reach $100,000.

BOSTON, April 21.—The amalgamated society of journeymen tailors of Great Britain and Wales have notified the striking tailors that it will render any aid demanded toward preventing emigration of London tailors to replace the striking tailors.

CANADIAN NEWS.

Lively Debate over the Governor-General's Allowance.

Annual Salary and Extras Now About $150,000.

The North-West Central Railway Scandal.

The Modest (!) Offer of James Beaty, M. P.

OTTAWA, April 21.—A lively debate took place in the house this week in regard to the governor-general. For some time past the Canadian people have been grumbling as to the great extravagance and heavy expenditures of keeping up government house. The governor-general receives $50,000 per year, but this sum in the way of extras has swelled until it is now about $150,000 and annually it is increasing. Mr. McCraney, liberal, moved for particulars as to how this extra sum was being squandered and called for detail. Sir Hector Langevin got indignant and refused. The debate lasted the greater part of the afternoon and evening. All the liberals, joined by a few conservatives, opposed the extra allowance. The result was that the government promised to bring down all papers they could possibly do. The opposition promises to make government extravagance one of the burning questions in the general elections which are expected next autumn.

THE RAILROAD SCANDAL.

OTTAWA, April 21.—To-day at a meeting of the railroad committee who are investigating the North-West Central scandal, which involves charges made against Mr. Beaty, M. P., for Toronto, and others to the effect that they had accepted stock in the North-West Central railway for using their influence to obtain a land grant for the road. Mr. Woodworth, M. P., read a letter he had received from E. A. Pew, of New York, which contained a statement that a certain person in New York had made Beaty an offer to build the road and in considering the offer Mr. Beaty had remarked in Pew's presence that there was nothing in the offer for himself and his associates, and that if the contractor in question would agree to pay a cash bonus of $1500 per mile to him, making an aggregate of $675,000 that he would accept the offer.

CABLE NEWS.

ENGLAND.

LONDON, April 21.—The Newcastle meeting was attended by over 4000 persons and great enthusiasm prevailed. Resolutions were adopted, supporting Mr. Gladstone's policy.

IRELAND.

CORK, April 21.—An immense loyalist meeting was held here this evening, at which home rule was denounced. A procession of nationalists paraded the streets at about the same time, but there was no disorder.

TURKEY.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 21.—Men-of-war have been ordered to hold themselves in readiness to sail in an hour's notice. An order prohibiting the circulation of Greek newspapers in Turkey has been issued.

YESTERDAY'S DISPATCHES.

BRITISH REVERSES IN BURMAH.

The Wholesale Cremation of a Town.

Plucky Little Greece Eager for War.

BURMAH.

LONDON, April 21.—A dispatch from Mandalay says: To-day being the Burmese new year fifty followers of the Myingazing princes set fire to their city in several places at four o'clock in the morning. Hundreds of houses have been burned, the treasury, postoffice and several other smaller buildings within the palace enclosure were destroyed. The third of the wall of the walled city has been ruined. Troops pursued and captured several of the incendiaries. Hevine, the English military apothecary, was killed. A number of encounters took place outside the city with the princes' followers, several of whom were killed and many wounded on both sides."

Advices from Mandalay say that the British expedition sent against the Kachien tribe has been compelled to retreat. The rebels in an overwhelming force attacked the British, charging upon the battery of mountain guns and driving the expedition back. Reinforcements for the expedition have been ordered from Mandalay. The rebels have captured Megandet, a police station. They bound the garrison with cords and massacred twenty-three persons.

GREECE.

LONDON, April 21.—Representatives of the powers, including Genadios, the Greek charge d'affaires, had a lengthy conference this afternoon with Lord Roseberry, minister of foreign affairs, respecting the Greek difficulty.

A conflict on the Greek frontier is hourly expected. The Greeks have assumed a very provoking attitude, which has had the effect of making the Turks furious.

AUSTRIA.

VIENNA, April 21.—The condition of affairs at Styr among the people who lost their homes by the great fire is most pitiable. Most of the victims are without food or means, and are rendered desperate by the thought of starvation. Farmers in the vicinity have been visited by mobs of men who have demanded food and if refused stole it. The owners of farms are now compelled to barricade their houses as the only way to guard them from being plundered of food by the mob. The search for the remains of the persons who lost their lives during the conflagration has been proceeding as rapidly as circumstances would allow. Thus far 68 bodies, charred so as to make recognition difficult, have been taken from the ruins. There have been twenty deaths in the fields since Sunday of invalids, young and old, who were taken out of town to escape the flames.

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Letters from the Queen on the Death of Principal Tulloch.

Mrs. Oliphant, in her memorial sketch of the late Principal Tulloch, which appears in Blackwood's Magazine for April, gives, by permission of the Queen, two letters written by Her Majesty—one to the Rev. W. W. Tulloch and the other to Mrs. Tulloch—on the loss they had sustained. They are as follows:

THE QUEEN TO REV. W. W. TULLOCH.

"Osborne, Feb. 13, 1886.

"I am stunned by this dreadful news; your dear, excellent, distinguished father also taken away from us and from dear Scotland, whose church he so nobly defended. I have again lost a dear and honored friend, and my heart sinks within me when I think that I shall not again on earth look on that noble presence, that kindly face, and listen to those words of wisdom and christian large-heartedness which used to do me so much good. But I should not speak of myself when you, his children, and your dear mother and our beloved Scotland lose so much. Still I may be, I hope, forgiven if I do appear egotistical, for I have lost so many, and I feel so ALONE.

"Your dear father was so kind, so wise, and it was such a pleasure to see him at dear Balmoral! *No more! Never again!* These dreadful words I have so often had to repeat make my heart turn sick. God's will be done! Your dear father is at rest and his bright spirit free.

"We must not grieve for him When I saw you at Balmoral you seemed anxious about him, and I heard the other day he could not write. Pray convey the expression of my deepest sympathy to your dear mother, whose health, I believe, is not strong, and to all your family. I mourn with you.

"Princess Beatrice is deeply grieved, and wishes me to express her true sympathy with you all. I shall be most anxious for details of this terrible event. Ever yours truly and sorrowfully,

"VICTORIA R. & I.

"The Rev. W. Tulloch."

The Queen to Mrs. Tulloch.

"WINDSOR CASTLE, Feb. 17, 1886.

"Dear Mrs. Tulloch—You must allow one who respected, admired and loved your dear distinguished husband to write to you, though personally unacquainted with you, and to *try* to say what I feel.

"My heart bleeds for you—the dear worthy companion of that noble, excellent man, so highly gifted and large-hearted and so brave! whose life is crushed by the greatest loss which can befall a woman."

"To me the loss of such a friend whom I so greatly respected and trusted is *very great;* and I cannot bear to think I shall not again see him and admire that handsome kindly face and noble presence, and listen to his wise words, which breathe such a lofty christian spirit. I am most anxious to visit you, and trust that you will allow me to do so quite quietly and privately, as one who knew your dear husband so well, and who has gone through much sorrow, and knows what you feel and what you suffer.

"Pray express my true sympathy to all your children, who have lost such a father.

"My thoughts will be especially with you to-morrow, and I pray that God may be with you to help and sustain you—Believe me always yours most sincerely,

VICTORIA R. & I."

"These touching expressions of a fellow feeling, so tender, simple and sincere, are of the kind, remarks Mrs. Oliphant, "that have given Her Majesty the empire she so justly holds in the hearts of her people."

DELAYED DISPATCHES.

EASTERN STATES.

NEW YORK, April 19.—What is known as the Workingmen's Rifle corps to-day filled the hall at No. 9, Second avenue. They were addressed by Editor Schwitzch, of the Volkes Zeitung, upon the labor question. He advised his hearers to arm themselves as rapidly as possible, and prepare themselves for future troubles. Rifles could be had for $6 each, and ammunition was cheap. The crowd cheered the sentiments.

CHICAGO, April 19.—At 9:35 this morning, the Lake Shore road attempted to send a freight train from the town of Lake, but as the train began to move it was boarded by strikers, who, despite the presence of thirty policemen, set the brakes and uncoupled the cars, throwing the coupling pins away. The train was abandoned by the railroad officials. The police made no arrests.

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KING'S NEW AND COMMODIOUS STAGE leaves Van Volkenburgh's corner for Esquimalt at 8 and 11 a. m. and 2 and 5 p. m.

RETURNING—Leaves Esquimalt at 9 and 12 a. m. and 3 and 6 p m.

This is the only first-class Stage on the route and should be patronized. ap6 1m

NOTICE OF REMOVAL

THE BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA HAVE removed into their new offices,

Corner of Government and Fort Streets. ap20-d1w 1tw

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, carrying on business at Victoria under the firm name of "Baker & Fullerton," was this day dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. John Fullerton continues the business, assuming all liabilities and collecting all outstanding accounts.

Dated this 19th day of April, 1886.

JOSEPH H. BAKER,
JOHN FULLERTON.

Witness: THORNTON FELL. ap20

CLOTHING, HATS,

UMBRELLAS,

HOSIERY, GLOVES,

SCARFS,

&c., &c.

W. & J. WILSON.

LATEST STYLES

JUST RECEIVED.

THE

BEST & CHEAPEST GOODS

IN VICTORIA.

Daily Colonist.

THURSDAY MORNING, APRIL 22ND, 1886.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

April 21—Str North Pacific, Pt Townsend
Str Western Slope, Burrard Inlet

CLEARED.

April 21—Str North Pacific, Pt Townsend
Str Western Slope, Burrard Inlet

PASSENGERS.

Per str WESTERN SLOPE, fm Burrard Inlet—Horth, J A Finney, Grant, E Saunders, D A McFarland, Jas Rand, A McNeil, Wheelan, Graveley, G A Keefer, D Brunette, G Brunette, W H Chase, E Gold.

Per str NORTH PACIFIC, from Puget Sound—Miss A T Cirr, Miss Rend, Mrs Goodacre, F Reeder, J Libby, wf and 2 ch, F Omon, J R Jaques, Mrs Child and boy, J Monty, R C Matthews, J Nicholles, W F Powers, G Linton, Mrs Marty and 4 ch, J Irving, W H Williams, J A Ackerson, G H Jones, J Webb and wf, R Watson, wf and ch, J Watson, T M Watson, Miss J Watson, Miss L Watson, W C Haywood, E L Kimball, W Norton and wf, H Norman, H Deroye, G Rhodes, H Lot, Capt Delion.

CONSIGNEES.

Per str NORTH PACIFIC, from Puget Sound—A E Hamm, G Anderson, Jno J Irwin, Jno Weiler, Langley & Co, Nicholles & Renouf, T B & Co, Thos Briggs, T Earle, W Denny, W Johnson, N Templeton, C Bush, Van Volkenburgh, J Wriglesworth, A Bossi & Co, M E Smith, J Flett, A Lapierre, G B Ordano, N Portman.

AUCTION SALES TO-DAY.

J. P. DAVIES & CO. will sell at 11 o'clock, a. m., at salesroom, Groceries and Liquors.

G. BYRNES will sell at 11 o'clock, on the premises corner Fort and Broad streets, Furniture, etc.

Personal.

Hon. Leonard P. Smith, a prominent citizen of Seattle, deceased on Monday.

Denis J. Oliver, a prominent capitalist and pioneer merchant of this city, who was created a knight of St. Gregory with the title of Marquis by Pope Pius the 9th, died suddenly Tuesday night.

Mr. G. A. Keefer, C. E., and Mr. D. A. McFarland arrived down from Vancouver yesterday on the Slope.

Governor Swineford, of Alaska, who arrived on the Amelia Tuesday from Alaska *via* Nanaimo, left for Portland yesterday.

Mr. J. B. Carscadden, (Carscadden & Peck), Winnipeg, left by the Sound boat yesterday, returning home by the Northern Pacific.

Capt. R. McLeese, M. P. P., left for home at Soda creek yesterday morning.

Capt. John Irving, manager of the C. P. N. Co., arrived from Ottawa yesterday.

Mr. Robt. Grant and Mr. W. E. Graveley, arrived from Vancouver yesterday.

At the Oriental: Mr. and Mrs. Webb, E. Gordon, A. Floyer, J. Dales, England.

At the Occidental: Eben Watson, San Francisco; R. C. Matthews, Rockford, Iowa; Jno. Penberthy, Hammond.

The Reason Why.

We remember hearing once of a man who assured a customer that he was actually losing money on every broom that he sold. "Then," was the query, "how do you make it pay?" "*It is the quantity, madam!*" replied the broom seller sagely. And it is the large number of vehicles that the Gananoque Carriage Works manufacture that enables the firm to sell them, not at a loss, but at such a slight increase above actual cost as to place the purchase of a light buggy or phaeton within the reach of nearly all. Mr. A. Cowan, Colonist Building, have just imported twenty of these buggies and phaetons of light and medium calibre, both covered and open, fitted with the latest improvements in the form of Brewster & Timkin springs, open and high side bars, etc. Strength, lightness, handsome finish, and cheapness form a combination in these vehicles that few can resist. Messrs. Cowan invites the public to make a personal inspection of these carriages which took the lead at Centennial exhibition at Toronto. They are on view on their premises.

Just Arrived.

The carload of buggies, phaetons, etc., consigned to A. Cowan, just arrived, and are now on view at his store, Colonist building, Government street. Inspection invited. *2w

Supreme Court.

(Before Sir M. B. Begbie, C. J.)

Sen Yen vs. Hong Lee & Co.—This was an action to recover $787.44, balance alleged to be due under a contract for getting out tan bark, and for which work the defendants claim to have paid in full. The case occupied the attention of the court all the afternoon and was adjourned until 12 to-morrow. Mr. C. Wilson for plaintiff, and Mr. T. Fell for defendants.

THE KEY.—The following figures placed on walls yesterday puzzled numbers of people as to the meaning:

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The interpretation is "a meeting of lodge 3107, Knights of Labor will be held this evening at 7:30.

A GOOD FARE.—A hackman yesterday had a passenger in the person of an individual either lulled into slumber by the seductive climate of our city, or from a too generous appreciation of the high qualities of the tanglefoot to be had here. With his unconscious head resting on his breast, nodding this way and that with the motion of the carriage, he was the observed of all on the principal streets.

PROSPECTING.—Mr. Jules H. Forney passed through this city yesterday on his way to the Colville mining district under engagement for a Montana syndicate to prospect, examine and report about the value, extent and richness of the mines lately discovered there. He will be gone for six months.

BASE BALL.—A base ball match is being arranged between a nine from the Albion iron works and a picked nine from the city to be played at Beason Hill on Play will commence at two o'clock.

THE RISING GENERATION.—Eight infant perambulators were in line within a hundred feet of each other at one time yesterday on Government street. Their occupants were all pretty and smiling in the bright warm sunshine.

THE Kamloops Sentinel hopes to issue a daily soon, believing that the growth of the place will justify such a stroke of enterprise.

BUGGIES, PHÆTONS, ETC.—Parties thinking of purchasing a first-class carriage, spring wagon, etc., will find it to their advantage to wait until a carload consigned to A. Cowan, Wharf street, arrives, which he expects by the 1st of April.

ATTEMPT TO BLOW UP A BREWERY.

A Dastardly Act.

The Kamloops Sentinel learns from Mr. Pendola the following account of the late attempt to blow up the boiler at his brewery, Savona:

Having procured a brewer from San Francisco—he arrived by Sunday's train, April 4th. When the fire was started under the boiler Mr. Travers went on top of the boiler to put in the water preparatory to brewing; soon two reports, like that of a gun, were heard close to him; thinking that some parties were shooting in the brewery he came down to see; two more reports followed and he found the noise came from under the boiler. The other man—who was pumping at the time—and myself went into the brewery to see what was the matter. Mr. Travers was standing outside, when report after report was heard—I believe about forty reports. At one time we thought the boiler and chimney would be blown into pieces, but happily no damage was done. Had the evil-disposed party been successful in blowing up the boiler the brewer would, doubtless, have been killed or seriously injured. I believe the intention of the perpetrator of this outrage was to burst the boiler and so damage the brewery, as to prevent its working.

Cedar Hill Electoral Society.

A large representative meeting of the above named association was held in the schoolhouse, Cedar Hill, on Tuesday night. Mr. John Vantreight, briefly pointed out the objects and method of the society, viz., by resolutions, discussion and lectures, to foster and stimulate a full interest in the representation and other matters practically affecting the southern portion of the electoral district comprising the Victoria and Lake divisions; and that it was designed to be nonpolitical, nonpartisan, and conducted alone by the electors in those named divisions. After some discussion and a president and committee had been selected, the following resolutions were carried: That in view of the approaching general election, the attention of all eligible persons in the district be called to the absolute necessity of having their right to vote at once recorded.

Proposed by Mr. J. S. Yates, seconded by Mr. Sluggett of Saanich.

That the legislature having grouped four civil divisions into one electoral district manifestly never contemplated always having both representatives from one part only; and therefore be it resolved that it will be our duty to nominate a candidate from this portion of the district.

Proposed by J. S. Shopland, seconded by Wm. Merryman.

That having for several years past freely given our votes to both Saanich nominees, we now cordially invite our brethren there to reciprocate; and, while of course retaining their equitable share of the representation, to divide their votes with the candidate selected from this portion of the electoral district. Proposed by Mr. I. Wilson, seconded by Mr. Merryman.

After further discussion the meeting was adjourned until the 4th May next.

A Beautiful Picture.

A representative of *The Colonist* had the pleasure of seeing a portrait in oil by Miss Withrow which was at Mr. J. Sommer's store for the purpose of being framed. It is that of Mrs. Lowen and her little daughter Eva, and has been pronounced by those competent to criticise as the finest piece of portrait painting that has ever been done in this city. To those who are acquainted with the originals the striking resemblance the picture bears to them is at once apparent. Everything in connection with the picture is in harmony, the position of the subjects being graceful and natural, while the background of pretty landscape and water is charmingly placed and in perfect perspective. The portrait is of the finest class of oil painting, has a soft and pleasing appearance, and entitles the artist to the greatest credit. Since placing herself under the tuition of the best San Francisco masters, Miss Withrow has by the greatest diligence and devotion to her profession succeeded in making herself worthy to rank high even among professional artists.

Standard Life Assurance Company.

"A Policy of Life Assurance is the cheapest and safest mode of making a certain provision for one's family. It is a strange anomaly that men should be careful to insure their houses, their furniture, their ships, their merchandise, and yet neglect to insure their lives—surely the most important of all to their families, and far more subject to loss."—BENJAMIN FRANKLIN.

"Young men should begin early and get quit of their premiums as soon as possible, and make an earnest endeavor before they assume the burdens of a family, to save every sixpence, so that they might be able to keep up a good policy. It is not a wise thing to defer assurance till a man's hair is becoming grey, as in an Assurance office a man has to pay for his grey hairs."—DR. NORMAN MACLEOD.

Insure in the Standard. Robt. Ward & Co., Agents. 2t*

New Millinery, Spring 1886.

We are now opening a fine line of millinery and straw goods. Flowers, feathers, ribbons, laces, ornaments, sateen and fancy bonnets, etc., which will be found to comprise the very latest styles and shapes. An inspection invited.

Our millinery department is now under the management of Mrs. Mackenzie, a lady who has had long experience in some of the leading houses of the Pacific coast.

BROWN & WHITE,
1m Government Street.

FIRE DRILL.—Precisely at 12 m. each day the great gong in the Deluge engine house is sounded. Men and horses are instantly on the alert. The latter run to the engine and take their places on either side of the pole. The firemen fasten the traces to the whiffletrees. The driver springs into his seat and seizing the reins prepares to drive into the street just as he would if the alarm were a real call for duty. Yesterday Chief Phillips timed the drill and in 27 seconds from the first stroke all things were in readiness for action. The horses exhibit much proficiency considering the short time they have been trained.

HIT BY A TREE.—While G. Brunette was engaged in felling trees on the Vancouver townsite, the branch of one struck him in its descent knocking him down but not injuring him. The axe he held in his hand struck him on the arm cutting it badly. Dr. Lefevre attended to the sufferer at the time, and he was brought down on the Slope yesterday and taken to St. Joseph's hospital. Being subject to heart disease the shock has seriously affected his health.

A FULL ASSORTMENT OF RUBBER BALLS, VARYING IN PRICE FROM 10 CENTS TO 85 CENTS, AT T. N. HIBBEN & CO'S

Municipal Council.

The usual weekly meeting of the city council was held last night.

Present—His worship the mayor in the chair and a full board.

COMMUNICATIONS.

From A. De Cosmos, calling attention to encroachments on a roadway marked on Hudson Bay Co's map of Spring Ridge and asking that the matter be attended to. Referred to city barrister for notices to be prepared.

From Leahy & Horth, calling attention to a defective drain near their premises. Referred to sanitary committee for report.

From the city barrister, stating that no night watchman has a right to act as a policeman unless under special powers from the council.

Coun. Higgins explained the reason why the city barrister had been requested to send in his report. The matter arose because certain night watchmen had refused to come under the police regulations. If men who were acting as policemen were in the habit of receiving money to protect the criminal classes it was high time the matter was looked into.

His worship said that it was to the interests of those who paid the night watchmen to have their names published, and if there was a refusal to do this the matter looked very fishy indeed.

Coun. Robertson—Is there any proof?

Coun. Higgins—Yes, the evidence in a case in the police court, as well as other information. He would move that the mayor and police committee are hereby authorized to revoke the appointment, after the 1st prox., of any constable refusing to comply with the police regulations. The motion was deferred.

From W. H. Mixer, complaining of a sewer near his residence on View street. Referred to the street committee.

From T. Little, asking if a sidewalk of gravel might not be substituted for a plank sidewalk near his residence. Referred to street committee.

From Noel Leclair, stating that the contract price for certain work would not permit of his buying the gravel, and asking that gravel be supplied by the council. Received and filed.

From six property owners on Yates street calling attention to two old shanties near Cook street, and asking that steps be taken to remove the buildings, as they served as a refuge for drunken Indians, etc.

Referred to fire wardens with power to act.

From S. C. Burris, asking for street lines on Cook street. Granted.

The report of the census was handed back to the committee the to have work completed.

From C. J. Phillips enclosing a letter from Sitka asking if there was a fire engine in Victoria not in use as the Sitka people wished to purchase one. Referred to fire wardens.

From W. Bennett, on behalf of the cricket club, asking for the use of the steam roller to roll some clay on the cricket grounds. Referred to street committee with power to act.

TENDERS.

From Jas. Baker, for grading and blasting Bridge street, $3 for blasting and 40c per yard for earth work. This being the only tender the work was awarded to Mr. Baker.

JOHN STREET.

From Jas. Baker, for work on John street, $3 for blasting, $1.25 per yard macadam. Grading and hauling $149. Laid over for one week.

ELECTRIC LIGHT POLES.

Tenders from George Baker:—3 masts, $200; 30 ft. poles, $3.25 each; 40 ft. poles, $5.50 each. From Hugh McDonald as follows:—Masts, $60 each; 40 ft. poles, $6 each; 30 ft. poles, $4. Tenders referred to electric light committee with power to act.

POUND.

The motion of Coun. Higgins with reference to the expenditure of $800 for a new pound was then taken up and carried.

REPORTS.

From the street committee, recommending the construction of certain drains and sidewalks. Adopted.

NOTICE OF MOTION.

Coun. Grant gave notice that at next meeting he would move a bylaw to appoint an auditor.

REGATTA.

Coun. Barnard moved that the mayor call a public meeting for Saturday next in connection with the holding of a regatta on her majesty's birthday. Carried.

WOOLEN MILL.

Coun. Higgins wished to know if any answer was sent to Mr. Newton, of Lindsay, Ont., in connection with the woolen mill.

The clerk said he could not give an answer until he had looked into the matter.

WATER.

Coun. Smith said that with reference to Dr. Tolmie's communication, Dr. Tolmie would have to sign an agreement the same as all others.

VICTORIA HARBOR.

Coun. Grant, in moving for an appropriation by the Dominion government for the improvement of Victoria harbor, said in other provinces large sums were annually appropriated for harbor improvements. Victoria was a very important shipping point. A small sum would greatly improve the present facilities. He would move the following:

Whereas, the port of Victoria is the fourth in importance as a revenue contributor to the Dominion customs; and whereas its harbor requirements are steadily growing; and whereas its capabilities to accommodate shipping could be largely increased by a reasonable expenditure; therefore be it resolved that the representatives from this city be requested to strongly urge upon the Dominion government the pressing necessity of appropriating during the present session a considerable sum of money toward improving this harbor commensurate with the growing requirements of trade.

Seconded by Coun. Robertson.

Coun Higgins moved to add the following rider:

And that the city members at Ottawa be requested to ask that in any contract which may be made for the trans-Pacific steamboat service, vessels of the line shall be required to touch at Victoria or Esquimalt on the inward and outward voyages.

The resolution and rider were carried. A copy of the forgoing resolution to be forwarded to each representative from this city by the clerk, signed by the mayor.

CONSOLIDATED BY LAWS.

Coun. Higgins said that in reprinting the bylaws a very large sum would be involved, and that tenders should be called for advertising the bylaws in one paper. Notice of motion to that effect was given after considerable discussion.

A motion to adjourn was then put and carried.

Court adjourned at 10:30 p. m.

FEATHER DUSTERS AT HIBBEN & CO'S.

The Future of our Sons.

In these times of keen competition the advantages of a practical as well as a theoretical education can hardly be overestimated. The nobility of the soil and of all occupations and callings immediately connected with its reproductive powers have been too often dwelt upon in these columns to need recapitulation just now; but it affords us pleasure to be able to recommend parents to take advantage of what has proved to be one of the most successful forms of education and send their sons to the Holmesdale Agricultural college, where is imparted a course of practical instruction embracing the application of science to agriculture in the improvement and development of the soil. In a healthy locality, under the plan pursued with the pupils of the college, the acquirement of knowledge becomes a recreation instead of a labor; and the manual exercise embraced in the course enables the muscular to keep pace with the mental system. The college, which is situated at Cowichan, is under the personal supervision of the Rev. D. Holmes.

The Merry Makers.

Mr. Wash. Norton, the chief "Merry Maker" of the company that will appear for the first time at Victoria theatre on Saturday evening, has professionally visited England, Australia, New Zealand, China, Japan, Africa, Samoa, Fiji, and Hawaii. He has performed before the highest dignitaries in those countries and is the bearer of flattering testimonials of his ability. It is now nearly nine years since Mr. Norton was at Victoria last. We remember being greatly entertained by his oddities at the late Victoria theatre. On that occasion *The Colonist* said of him. "One of the most pleasing acts was Mr. Wash. Norton's sensational changes. This gentleman appears in full dress and actually assumes six totally different characters, completely costumed in each and makes all the changes before the audience!"

Marine.

The trial trip of the steamer Pilot after her late overhauling and repairs, took place yesterday. Everything was satisfactory.

Swedish barque Drotling Sofia left the roads this morning in tow of the tug Pilot for Burrard Inlet. She will load lumber for Adelaide, Australia.

Br. bark Arica for Victoria entered out at Liverpool, April 19.

LIMERICK, April 19.—In port—Br. sh. Florence, from Portland, with loss of bulwarks.

The ship Ivanhoe sailed from Seattle for San Francisco Sunday evening with 2473 tons of Black Diamond coal and 45 cats.

A QUEER APPETITE.—A little three-year old child residing with its parents on the Work estate, has developed a strange appetite, having lately swallowed buttons, feathers, bits of nails and a variety of indigestible articles, much to the discomfort of its internal organism and danger to its life. So far it has been relieved of the strage food taken at various times; but an extra dose may cost its life.

THE FRASER DELTA is alive with farmers. Weather fine. Crops planted larger than ever before. Yield expected to be enormous. The Delta council are constructing a number of good and serviceable roads. The changes that have taken place in the last twelve months are surprising. All the canneries will soon be in full blast.

NEW STEAMBOAT. — The Wellington Packing Co. are having constructed at the yard of Turpel & Smith, Victoria harbor, a handsome propeller, which will be launched in about two weeks' time. She will be used at the cannery by the company and will be one of the speediest and most serviceable vessels of her class afloat.

BLACKETT & GIBSON.—This enterprising firm of Langley have dissolved, Mr. R. E. Gibson retiring. Mr. F. G. W. White, who joins Mr. Blackett, is the son of Canon White of the church of England in Canada. He was lately in the employ of Mr. G. B Wright and is well and favorably known throughout the province.

THE OPIUM SEIZURE.—The sale of opium seized on the Idaho and captured at Kassan bay took place at Port Townsend on Tuesday. It averaged $12.33 per pound, the highest price obtained being $12.65. Altogether 3,600 pounds were disposed of. The total amount realized was $45,000.

FEROCIOUS CURS.—A number of savage dogs are kept at the cabins near the Indian church, Herald street, which have been in the habit of attacking people passing through that street at night. They have bitten and torn the clothes of passers by and should be given their quietus.

RUNNING-SKATING RACE.—The race between Westlake and Watson, the former skating and the latter running, at the roller rink last night, was won by Westlake by half a lap. Considerable money changed hands.

SOME BOYS lighted a fire on the floor of an old wooden shanty on Rae street yesterday morning. The flames were extinguished with a few buckets of water.

NAVAL.—H. M. S. Triumph sailed from San Francisco for Honolulu on the 19th inst.

What Some People Say.

That Sir John Macdonald is rapidly convalescing and will soon take his seat in the house.

That Stringham & Hahn, the artistic sign writers, are about to erect a handsome advertising fence on Douglas street, opp. the theatre. Business men, take notice. 1t

That the miners in the Black Diamond coal mine near Seattle, have not struck.

That JULIUS BARPAN, Yates street, has imported some very fine German Maattwurst and some choice eastern hams. Call and see him. *

That the annual Easter Festival Services will be held in St. John's Church on Tuesday, April 27th, at 8 p. m. Mrs. Lombard, organist. 1m

That the great Northwestern railroads have done a greater business so far this year than they did last year at the same time. The Northern Pacific, during the first three months of 1886, enjoyed a gross revenue of $1,931,532, against $1,815,158 the year before; the Chicago & Northwestern $4,995,097, against $4,979,025 in 1885, and the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul $5,043,000, against $4,943,904 in 1885.

That the whole nasty Dilke Crawford case is to be re opened.

That a fine picture of the Henley regatta is on view at the Arlington. *

That T. J. Jones, L. D. S., has removed his dental rooms over the new Bank of British Columbia, corner of Fort and Government streets. Telephone call 507. 1m

That the "kind friend" who lent Coun. Grant a Chinese carpenter on Monday lent him a lawn mower yesterday and a big buck Chinaman to work it! As the season of Lent will soon expire it is hoped that the practice of lending Chinamen will go out with it and that white carpenters and mowers will be allowed an opportunity to earn a livelihood.

That there comes a sweetly touching story from the West about Mr. Cleveland and a sweetheart of sixteen who went down to an early grave and took all his love with her. It would be more touching if the same story had not been told about James Buchanan, Samuel J. Tilden and sundry other old bachelors who have figured in politics; and if a similar hint had not already been thrown out about Governor Hill. The truth is that these veteran survivors of the matrimonial campaign did not marry because they did not want to. They preferred their freedom and they have kept it.

That the Mutual Life Insurance company of New York, total assets over $105,000,000, has now made a deposit in conformity with the Dominion laws, and issues policies on the new five-year distribution, endowment and other plans. Messrs. H. F. HEISTERMAN & Co. are the agents for British Columbia, who will be happy to furnish all necessary information. *

That, "Witness," said the prosecuting counsel, "I believe you said you were a saloon-keeper?" "Yes, sir." "Do you know the prisoner at the bar?" "Well, that depends. When he has the money about 'im I do, but when he wants to put it on the slate I don't.

That Mr. Labouchere writes in Truth: "I receive a good many anonymous letters, some complimentary, most, however, the reverse. Amongst the latter, the following is amusing and not wanting in clevefness: "You call yourself a radical. Does your definition of the term agree with mine? Radical, take away the letters liar and you are left with cad. A radical, therefore, is composed of a liar and a cad."

That "I have been unfortunate in love matters," said a well-known bass singer at the Paris opera the other day. "My first sweetheart entered a convent; death robbed me of my second, and the third—is my wife."

BULL-DOG KELLY.—The government yesterday received official notification that Bull Dog Kelly was released, the president not considering the evidence sufficient to hand him over to the British Columbia authorities.

THE attention of the trade is called to J. P. Davies & Co.'s first spring sale of liquors, wines, ales, cigars, groceries, blankets, hardware, paper, etc., which will take place at their salesroom at 11 a. m. to-day.

VAGGED.—A chronic opium smoker named F. McNulty had two months' imprisonment recorded against him in the police court yesterday, he having failed to answer the charge.

COAL FROM THE ROSENFELD.—The schooner Bonanza arrived down yesterday with another 200 tons from the sunken ship Rosenfeld, making 1400 altogether that has been secured.

AUCTION SALES.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.

JOSHUA DAVIES - - - - AUCTIONEER

TRADE SALE.

GROCERIES AND LIQUORS

THIS DAY,

Thursday, April 22nd, 1886.

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.

WE WILL SELL AT SALESROOM, Wharf street,

CHAMPAGNE,
— cs. Eng. Pierrier & Co., pts. and qts Medium Dry,
— cs Crown Champrgne
— cs Good Med. Dry
7 cs Champagne

WINES AND LIQUORS.
8 bbls American Bourbon
30 cs Marmeau Cognac
10 cs " " flasks
10 cs C. Coran "
10 cs French "
30 cs Imperial "
20 cs Brandy
10 cs Ginger Wine
CIGARS—10,000 Manillas
SALMON NETS—Aberdeen Net Twine
3 cs Bell & Black's Wax Matches
10 rms 20x30, 50lb Wrapping Paper
9 " 20x34, 50lb "
10 " 24x34, 50lb "
5 " 30x40, 100lb "
15 cs assorted pts Pickles
10 hf-bbls Cal. Ref. Syrup
20 doz Corn Brooms
5 cs Currants
Filbert and Hazel Nuts
Dried Herbs, Brushes
Blacking, Extract Coffee.

BLANKETS.
— bales 2½ pt White and Scarlet
— " 3 pt Green. ap4

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

SELLING OFF! SELLING OFF!

Positively ATWELL KING & CO. limit this sale to 312 days per annum.

AT THE LONDON BAZAAR

Handsome Majolica, Lovely Glass, Pretty Chinaware, Velocipedes, Tricycles, Wheelbarrows, Carts, Wagons, Sulkies and Rocking Horses, Dolls, Indoor Games, Presents in great variety, Garden Tools, Skipping Ropes, Hoops, Baseballs, Bats, (Clubs supplied at Reduced Prices); Ladies' Hair Dressing Goods, Fronts, Curling Irons, Invisible Hair Nets, Pins, etc.; Face, Eyebrows and Complexion Improvers; all kinds of Household Goods, in Agate, Tin and Woodenware; a large quantity of Concertinas, Accordeons, Mouth Organs to sell Cheap; Barbers' and Bar Supplies, Patent Towel Holders, Billiard Cue Tops, Fishing Poles and Tackle in great variety; Lamps and Lamp Glasses of all descriptions.

VICTORIA CITY PROPERTY

J. P. DAVIES & CO.

AUCTIONEERS.

CHOICE RESIDENCE PROPERTY.

ON A LIBERAL CREDIT.

WE HAVE RECEIVED INSTRUCTIONS to sell at Salesroom, Wharf St.

Saturday, April 24th, 1886.

AT NOON,

Subdivision Lots of Subdivisions

29, 30, 31, 40, 41, 42 and 43

SOUTH OF THE

FERNWOOD ROAD.

SITUATE ON PANDORA AVENUE.

The plans of this excellent homestead sites, with full particulars and terms, will be ready on Saturday, 10th inst.

METCHOSIN DISTRICT.

55 Acres, the Southern Portion of Section LXVIII.

— ON —

HAPPY VALLEY ROAD.

This Property adjoins "Scott's Farm" and contains some good, rich bottom land and about ten acres of cleared land suitable for an orchard. It has an "all the year round" running creek. A portion of the land has growing Cedar and Fir Timber.

THE SEA VIEW HOTEL,

Situate on lots 1431, 1432 and 1433, Block 48,

JAMES BAY,

At present rented to the Government for the use of Immigrants.

The Hotel is 24 by 64 feet, with lean-to Kitchen; has 16 Bedrooms upstairs, with Dining-room, Waiting-room, and Hall on the ground floor.

Plans of the property ready on Saturday morning.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,
ap8 Auctioneers.

REAL ESTATE SALE.

VICTORIA CITY & SUBURBAN PROPERTY,

J. P. DAVIES & CO.

JOSHUA DAVIES,.....AUCTIONEER

WE HAVE RECEIVED INSTRUCTIONS to sell by Public Auction at salesroom, Wharf street,

AT NOON,

Saturday, April 24th, 1886,

DOUGLAS ST. PROPERTY.

Corner Lot No. 647, having a frontage of 120 ft. on Douglas street and 60 ft. on Discovery street.

Choice Suburban Residence Sites Close to the City Boundary.

Plans now ready at the office of

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MORTGAGEES SALE.

W. R. CLARKE.....AUCTIONEER.

I AM INSTRUCTED BY THE MORTGAGEE to sell, by Public Auction, at the Salesroom, Yates street, on

FRIDAY, MAY 14th, 1886,

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON,

Certain portions of Land described on the Official Map as the Northwest quarter of Section 26, and Southwest quarter of Section 35, Township 11 (eleven), New Westminster district, said to contain 50 acres, more or less.

All and singular the Sawmill and buildings situated thereon, together with all Machinery, Tools and other chattels on the premises, which, it is believed, consist of Sawmill Machinery, two Engines and Boilers, Planer, Match Trimmer, Blacksmith's Tools, Machine Lathe, Sawlogs and Lumber, at the Steam Sawmill, Langley.

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WILL SELL AT SALESROOM, WHARF STREET,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.,

Tuesday, April 27th, 1886,

ON A LIBERAL CREDIT,

A straight line of goods direct from the Importers.

DAMASKS.

2 cases 5-4 and 6-4 Damasks, Cream Colored Damask Cloths, Union Damasks
2 cases 115 pieces Bleached Crash.
1 case 42 pieces 114¾ yards assorted Velveteens.

BLANKETS.

14 bales, 25 pairs each, Red, Blue and White 2½ point Blankets.

Blue Denims, Flannelets, Canton Flannels, Rugs, Gurnseys, assorted Hosiery, Underclothing and Drawers, Overshirts, Grey and White Cottons, Cotton Prints, Spool Cotton, Overalls and Jumpers, Duck Coats, Papeterie Pipes. ap4

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For Salmon Nets, No. 40, 8 ply Thread, 5⅞ Mesh, 40 Meshes deep.

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LIFE IN EARLY NEW ENGLAND.

The Church and the Minister; the Inn and the Innholder.

The grade in social life, which was largely a name, was shown most in the meeting house. The seating of families and the assigning of pews was one of the difficult things.

The minister and deacon were nearest the pulpit. The boys and colored people were assigned the back pews or those in the gallery.

This idea of "social dignity" was brought from the old country, but gave way in the growing oneness of life in America.

The days of the early New Englander were not all dark. There was much of the austere in them, but there was also a grain of mirth and cheerfulness. We must bear in mind that the clergymen were the early historians of the country, and they put much gloom in their writings.

The New England inn was a place of great resort. In the poverty of newspapers, people came here to gain what news there might be.

The innholder was a leading man in the community. He got the news from the driver and passengers of the stage coach, and of the travelers who chanced to be passing through the town. The innholder knew the public men of the country, for they had partaken of his sumptuous dinners and had lodged at his inn.

If the walls of these ancient New England taverns could talk, what stories would they tell; not of the debauches alone, but, in the dark and stirring days, of patriotic and loyal sentiments and deeds, whose influence went out for the founding of the nation and the perpetuity of the blessings of freedom.

He who strives to know of early New England must not look alone to the learning, character, and influence of its ministers, but to the manners, life, and influence of the innholders.—[New England Magazine.

The Choice of Oranges.

To very many an orange is an orange, the only variation distinguishable being in size and corresponding price, while those who know the difference between "Florida," "Seville" and "Messina" oranges are considered experts. The "Florida Catechism" tells us better than that.

We learn from it that there are "over thirty" varieties of sweet oranges, not to mention the "natural stock," which is a larger and handsomer fruit than the sweet orange, and is excellent for orangeade and marmalade, but, being very sour, is seldom shipped North.

The medium sizes are apt to be the choicest, and "probably the very sweetest orange that is marketed is the rusty-coated and rather ill-looking orange, which might be considered inferior by an amateur."

Furthermore, "The way to detect oranges is to 'heft' them in your hands; pick out the thin-skinned heavy fruit, and you are all right." The light-weight fruit is apt to be juiceless, a condition caused either by a slight freezing while on the tree, or, more probably, by the poverty of the soil in which it grew.

All this applies to the sweet oranges. The "kid glove" oranges are grown in Florida from two stocks brought respectively, from China and Tangiers. Hence they are called Mandarin and Tangerine oranges.

Both are small; the skin is loose and easily removed, and the sections fall apart so readily that a lady can eat one without soiling her gloves; hence the name.

Some other bits of interesting information may be picked out from this "Catechism." It is not generally known, for instance, that "an orange that is entirely dead ripe in December will hang on the tree until March, and is ready at any time to be picked and shipped;" while so far from deteriorating, "the longer they hang on the trees the sweeter they grow," and Florida oranges, purchased in February and March, are therefore apt to be better than those procured early in the season.

Again, the notion that, to know what an orange is really like, one must go where the oranges grow appears to be a popular fallacy, as we are told that "the orange picked from the tree is no riper or better than the orange on the fruit stall in the North."—[Philadelphia Inquirer.

KATE HAS MADE A PIE.

"I cannot ask you up, Ben Blend,
To dine with Kate and me;"
Thus spoke a drummer to his friend,
And sighed right heavily.
"I know I promised to, but then—"
A tear stole from his eye—
"The cold, frost-bitten fact is, Ben,
My Kate has made a pie.

"The pie is not so deadly when
An expert wields the plate;
But that's a different pie, dear Ben,
From pies composed by Kate.
She's not an artiste with the flour,
The spice, the lard, so I
Cannot invite you to our bower,
For Kate has made a pie.

"You are an honest bachelor, Ben,
Let me some truths unload;
Some little facts to ponder when
You're out upon the road.
Our honeymoon was filled with joy,
No cloudlets swept the sky;
Things might have thus continued, boy,
But Kate, she made a pie!

"A parody upon the pies
My mother used to make!
A thing to breed a wild surprise
Mixed up with stomach ache.
A pie to conjure spirits up
From Sheol's sulphurous state,
On which might Macbeth's witches sup—
That pie first made by Kate.

"What strange fatality attends
The young wife's pie-us art?
Pre-matrimonial pastry blends
Not with the wifely heart.
Before the orange blossom fades
Wide opens many an eye;
E'en unsophisticated maids
Should make a better pie.

"And so I cannot ask you, Ben,
With us to come to dine;
Some other day—some Sunday, when
My wife has ceased to shine
As Empress of the Kitchen Range—
Grown more discreet—and fly—
So Ben, old boy, don't think it strange,
But—Kate has made a pie!"

—[Merchant Traveler.

Hopelessly Bankrupt.

"Fate is against me," said a despairing Wall street man to his wife. "I have borrowed money from every quarter to keep my margins good, but without avail. I have not only lost all that I possessed, but every cent that I could get from friends as well."

"Is everything swept away?" asked his anxious wife.

"Yes, everything save honor. That alone remains."—[N. Y. Times.

Virtues of Lentil Flour.

A writer in the Therapeutic Gazette recommends soups made of lentil flour, mixed with one eighth part of ground malt, for the use of invalids. In warning, the diastase of the malt converts the flour into soluble and easily digested substances. The soup may be flavored with beef tea.

The writer says that lentil flour contains more inorganic salts and twice as much nitrogenous material as wheat or oat flour.

English Mail.

(Per Northern Pacific Railway.)

Lord Kenmare, one of the largest land-owners in Kerry, and whose splendid seat looks out upon the Lakes of Killarney, has had his income so reduced that he now gets absolutely no rents, and is obliged to live entirely upon his salary as Lord Chamberlain. One result of this is that, instead of inhabiting, as he was wont to do, a handsome house in Belgrave Square, he has taken a small house in Tite street, Chelsea.

The game of bazard, which is prohibited in every club in England, and not even permitted in tripots in France, flourishes in Berlin, so much so that the Union Club, in consequence of several recent grave scandals, has determined to put a stop to it. Germans may be slow gamblers, but they play uncommonly heavy at times, if it be true that one petty prince lost $125,000 in one evening, having previously dropped $500,000, and a baron a trifle of $75,000 on another night.

London is about to have 3,000 new cabs, including a new kind of "growler," roomy and comfortable, an improved hansom with door at the side, and many well-furnished victorias. The drivers will be dressed in livery, and every fare will have to be deposited in a box, the men, who will have a weekly wage, being also allowed a commission on their takings. Sixpenny fares will be introduced, and books of tickets will be issued, with which, or in exact cash, the fares must be paid. The present hansom cab driver has on the average to pay about $4 for his day's hire of cab and horse, and the company who bring out the new vehicles believe that in less than a year they will have the cab stock of London in their hands by forced sales.

What a Wife Said.

Simply this and nothing more:
It came from LANGLEY & Co.'s store;
Has proved to be a perfect cure,
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THAT GUM TREE (EUCALYPTUS) COUGH SYRUP.

Messrs. LANGLEY & Co. would call the attention of their friends and the public to this excellent preparation, made in Australia and in San Francisco, California, from the leaves of a peculiar variety of the eucalyptus or blue gum tree of Australia. It has no sickening property to disturb the stomach, and is most reliable for curing Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis, Croup or any tendency to consumption.

LANGLEY & Co.,
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Syrup of Figs.

Manufactured only by the California Fig Syrup Co., San Francisco, Cal., is Nature's own true Laxative. This pleasant liquid fruit remedy may be had of Langley & Co. Sample bottles free and large bottles at 75 cents and $1 25. It is the most pleasant, prompt and effective remedy known, to cleanse the system; to act on the Liver, Kidneys, and Bowels gently yet thoroughly; to dispel headaches, Colds and Fevers, to cure Constipation, Indigestion and kindred ills. dw13

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The Lost Restored.

Ira McNeill of Poplar Hill, Ontario, states that his brother aged 12, was afflicted with a terrible cold, from the effects of which he lost his voice. Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam cured the cold and restored his voice in the most perfect manner. He says it cannot be exceeded as a remedy for coughs and colds.

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ADVICE TO MOTHERS.—MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP should always be used when children are cutting teeth. It relieves the little sufferer at once; it produces natural, quiet sleep by relieving the child from pain, and the little cherub awakes as "bright as a button." It is very pleasant to taste It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, relieves wind, regulates the bowels, and is the best known remedy for diarrhœa, whether arising from teething or other causes. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for "MRS WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP," and take no other kind. ap9-eod-dw

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"Land Registry Ordinance, 1870."

SECTION 64 ESQUIMALT DISTRICT.

WHEREAS THE CERTIFICATE OF TITLE of Barney Henry Sandfort, late of New Westminster, Province of British Columbia, to the above-mentioned section, bearing date the 20th day of August, A. D. 1874, has been lost, and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate: Notice is therefore hereby given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary, in writing, within one month from the date hereof.

CHAS JAS. LEGGATT,
Registrar General.

Land Registry Office, Victoria,
17th April, 1886. ap17-1m

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING BOUGHT OUT J. E. Gray's interest in the PRITCHARD HOUSE, will in future carry on the business in his own name. All debts contracted by the late firm will be paid by the undersigned, who will also collect all moneys owing the late firm. ap17-1w A. P. BRIGGS.

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THE PACIFIC COAS Co.'s steamer

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SATURDAY, APRIL 24TH,

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Freight for shipment by her is req the wharf of the undersigned by 5 Friday, April 23rd.

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NOTICE TO SHIPPERS.

ALL FREIGHT FOR AND CONSIGNED TO the undersigned for HOPE, from this date, April 16th, must be shipped by the TEASER

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FOR NEW WESTMINSTER

—AND—

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THE OFFICES OF THIS BRANCH OF THE Imperial Federation League are now open at CHICAGO BUILDINGS, STANLEY ST., LIVERPOOL

All Colonists passing through Liverpool are cordially invited to make use of the rooms of the branch for correspondence and other purposes.

The publications of the League may be seen there and all Colonial papers received are filed for reference.

The Committee will be glad of communications upon all matters of Colonial interest. Information will be gladly offered by the Hon. Secretary respecting Colonial Exhibition of 1886; the doings of the National Association for promoting State Directed Emigration and Colonization; the Movement for Improvement of Local Defence, and upon other matters of Colonial interest. jy15dwtf

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Camolines
Canvas Cloths
Beiges
Lace Flouncings
Guipuire Lace Curtains
Nottingham do
Plush Table Covers
Tapestry do
Antimacassars
Aprons and Pinafores
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Subdivisions 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 of Lot 394, Group 1, New Westminster District, each subdivision containing 9 acres, exclusive of roadways which divide and bound the property.

Subdivisions 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 of Lot 119, Group 1, New Westminster District, of the same acreage as the former subdivisions, exclusive also of the roadways.

Plans of the subdivisions of Lots 394 and 119 have been filed in the Land Registry Office, New Westminster, showing also the dividing and boundary roads.

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Plumper Pass					7 A. M.	
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(ON VANCOUVER ISLAND.)

Victoria.....Monday.....3rd May
Nanaimo.....Tuesday.....1st June

(ON MAINLAND.)

New Westminster....Wednesday.....5th May
Yale.....Wednesday.....26th May
Kamloops.....Monday.....7th June
Clinton.....Monday.....14th June

FALL ASSIZES.
(ON MAINLAND.)

Richfield.....Monday.....13th September
Clinton.....Wednesday....29th September
Kamloops.....Monday.....4th October
Lytton.....Monday.....11th October
Yale.....Friday.....15th October
New Westminster.....Wednesday....10th November

(ON VANCOUVER ISLAND.)

Victoria.....Monday.....22nd November
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By Command.

JNO ROBSON,
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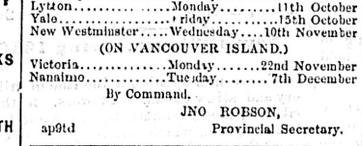

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